



# Rotary Feros Health Grant

## Terms and Conditions

### Overview

The Rotary Feros Health Grants are awarded to QUT Health students in select disciplines, undertaking a rural/remote clinical placement for approved practical units. The grants are supported by Philanthropic Donor, The Rotary Club.

### 1. Eligibility requirements

To be eligible for the Rotary Feros Health Grant, applicants must meet all the following requirements;

- 1.1. an Australian citizen or permanent visa holder, or New Zealand citizen
- 1.2. studying full-time
- 1.3. enrolled in one of the following courses and corresponding unit:
  - 1.3.1. Bachelor of Paramedic Science (CS43), third year unit;
    - 1.3.1.1. *CSB342 Paramedic Clinical Practice 2* or;
    - 1.3.1.2. *CSB343 Paramedic Clinical Practice 3*
  - 1.3.2. Bachelor of Radiation Therapy (CS49), third year unit;
    - 1.3.2.1. *CSB091 Clinical Radiation Therapy 3*
  - 1.3.3. Bachelor of Nutrition and Dietetics (XN45), fourth year units;
    - 1.3.3.1. *XNB444 Clinical Practice in Nutrition & Dietetics – Medical Nutrition Therapy (Ambulatory)* or;
    - 1.3.3.2. *XNB445 Clinical Practice in Nutrition & Dietetics – Medical Nutrition Therapy (Acute)* or;
    - 1.3.3.3. *XNB446 Clinical Practice in Nutrition & Dietetics – Community and Public Health Nutrition* or;
    - 1.3.3.4. *XNB447 Clinical Practice in Nutrition & Dietetics – Foodservice Management*
  - 1.3.4. Bachelor of Nursing (NS42), unit;
    - 1.3.4.1. *NSB335 Integrated Nursing Practice 5*
  - 1.3.5. Master of Nursing – Entry to Practice (NS89), unit;
    - 1.3.5.1. *NSN905 Transition to Safe Independent Clinical Practice*

### 2. Value and payment of scholarships

- 2.1 The Rotary Feros Health Grants are awarded to the value of \$1,650 each.
- 2.2 A student may receive one (1) Rotary Feros Health Grant during their study at QUT.
- 2.3 Payments will be subject to *Section 4 - Conditions of the scholarship* being met.
- 2.4 Students will receive scholarship payment by electronic transfer to their nominated bank account at the commencement of their grant-supported placement.
- 2.5 While every care is taken to ensure direct payments of scholarship funds are correct, scholarship recipients are required to monitor payments and notify QUT Scholarships by

emailing [scholarships@qut.edu.au](mailto:scholarships@qut.edu.au) if any over or under payments occur. Where discrepancies in payment occur, students may be required to return the funds to the university.

### 3. Term of scholarship

- 3.1. The term of the scholarship is a once-off payment, used by the student in approved rural/remote hospital or health service clinical placement period.

### 4. Conditions of scholarship

- 4.1 Students receiving the Rotary Feros Health Grant may not receive any additional QUT or Non-QUT (e.g. QLD Government) scholarship, grant or bursary in the same teaching period.
- 4.2 Recipients must utilise the grant funds solely for the purposes for which they are provided, including:
  - 4.2.1 travel using commercial air, rail, bus, taxi/Uber, hire car services and/or use of a private vehicle to get to and from approved clinical placement locations;
  - 4.2.2 accommodation and travel costs associated with approved clinical placement;
  - 4.2.3 additional clothing appropriate for the area (e.g. climate); and
  - 4.2.4 living costs in association with undertaking a remote clinical placement.
- 4.3 Keep a strict account of how grant funds are utilised.
- 4.4 Retain proof of purchase of all expenditures.
- 4.5 Return any unspent grant funds promptly upon my return from placement.
- 4.6 Upon completion and return, provide Rotary with a two-page written report outlining the experiences and learnings from the grant-supported clinical placement. Email the final report Rotary via [health.engage@qut.edu.au](mailto:health.engage@qut.edu.au).
- 4.7 Deliver a presentation and Q&A session to a Rotary club, at a location determined by the donor, about the clinical placement.
- 4.8 Attend the QUT Faculty of Health award ceremony to receive a certificate of achievement and meet the donors, if not on placement.
- 4.9 Allow the use of my biographical and academic information in University publications.
- 4.10 Participate in QUT School and/or University events relevant to being a scholarship recipient, as requested by the Head of School.
- 4.11 Provide appropriate updates to the QUT School/Faculty of Health to pass on to donors (for example, graduating, and accepting a graduate position).

### 5 Termination of scholarship

A scholarship may be terminated in the following circumstances,

- 5.1 Failure to comply with *Section 4 - Conditions of scholarship*
- 5.2 Withdrawal or deferment from the course and/or grant-supported unit and/or approved rural/remote clinical placement. Students are advised to access Counselling services before withdrawing from their course.
- 5.3 Failure to arrive at your grant-supported clinical placement.
- 5.4 Student behaviour that breaches the QUT Student Code of Conduct, where if proven would be regarded as student misconduct. The required standards of behaviour relate to policies regarding [Academic integrity \(MOPP C/5.3\)](#), [QUT Code for responsible conduct of research \(MOPP D/2.6\)](#), [Acceptable use of information technology resources \(MOPP F/1.11\)](#)

## 6 Miscellaneous

### 6.1 Grievances

- 6.1.1 Student may lodge a formal appeal arising from any scholarship matter through the [Appeals Committee](#)
- 6.1.2 Any grievances related to the administration of scholarship is governed by [E/9.2 Grievance resolution procedures for student related grievances](#), with QUT's Manual of Policy and Procedures.

### 6.2 Tax implications

- 6.2.1 QUT does not withhold PAYG tax from coursework scholarship payments. It is the recipient's responsibility to check the tax implications for your scholarship and personal circumstances. For advice on whether your scholarship is taxable, use the Australian Taxation Office's [scholarship decision tool](#). Additional tax information can be obtained via [www.ato.gov.au/individuals](http://www.ato.gov.au/individuals).

### 6.3 Centrelink

- 6.3.1 Please also note that Centrelink may include this scholarship entitlement in any means testing in relation to applications made for commonwealth assistance. Please check the [Centrelink](#) site for information regarding exempt scholarships.

### 6.4 Scholarship contact

- 6.4.1 The Rotary Feros Nursing Student Grants are administered by Health Engagement. For any scholarships related inquiries please contact [health.engage@qut.edu.au](mailto:health.engage@qut.edu.au)